Committee on Pricing on Irrigation Water

*502. SHRI BALRAJ PASSI:
SHRIMATI DIPIKA H. TOPIWALA:

Will the Minister of PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Committee on Pricing of Irrigation Water has submitted its final report;

(b) if so, the details of the recommendations and the reaction of the Government thereto; and

(c) if not, the time by which the Committee is likely to submit its report?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI H.R. BHARDWAJ): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise

(c) The Committee is to submit the final report by 30th July, 1992.

Funds Allocation under D.P.A.P.

*503. SHRIMATI MAHENDRA KUMARI:
SHRIMATI RITA VERMA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the Central assistance given to each State under the Drought Prone Area Programme during 1991-92;

(b) whether the Government have decided to transfer the Programme to the States;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the time by which a decision is likely to be taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI G. VENKAT SWAMY): (a) The Central assistance given to each State under the Drought Prone Areas Programme during 1991-92 is as under:-

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	*State*	*Total Allocation*	*Central Share*	*Releases*
1	*2*	*3*	*4*	*5*
1.	Andhra Pradesh	1203.00	601.50	620.14
2.	Bihar	828.00	414.00	319.97
3.	Gujarat	746.00	373.00	404.77
4.	Haryana	135.00	67.50	67.50

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	*State*	*Total Allocation*	*Central Share*	*Releases*
1	*2*	*3*	*4*	*5*
5.	Jammu & Kashmir	214.50	107.25	158.48
6	Karnataka	1249.00	624.50	537.87
7.	Madhya Pradesh	809.00	404.50	365 18
8.	Maharashtra	1343.00	671.50	612.01
9.	Orissa	621.00	310.50	237.21
10.	Rajasthan	514.00	257.00	331.00
11.	Tamil Nadu	657.00	328.50	321.93
12.	Uttar Pradesh	1386.00	693.00	678.27
13.	West Bengal	517.50	258.75	232.15
	TOTAL	10223.00	5111.50	4886.48

(b) No, Sir.

(c) The Question does not arise.

(d) It has been decided to continue the Drought Prone Areas Programme as a Centrally Sponsored Scheme.

[*Translation*]

National Building Organisation

504. DR. MAHADEEPAK SINGH SHAKYA:
SHRI NITISH KUMAR:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the attention of the Government has been drawn to the item appearing in "The Tribune" dated February 27, 1992 under the caption "NBO is being wound up"

(b) if so, the reaction thereto;

(c) whether the Government are formulating any scheme for the expansion of Building Making Technology Promotion Council;

(d) if so, the details thereof and the work assigned to both the institutions and their annual budget separately; and

(e) the achievements made by both